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FOR AFRICAN ECONOMIC RECOVERY AND
DEVELOPMENT
3-13 September 1991
Item 2 of the provisional agenda

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ANNOTATIONS

1. Election of officers

In its resolution 45/178 A of 19 December 1990, the General Assembly, inter alia, decided that the Bureau of the Ad Hoc Committee should be constituted at the highest possible level and be composed of a Chairman, three Vice-Chairmen and a Rapporteur.

At its organizational session, the Ad Hoc Committee elected by acclamation the Chairman, a Vice-Chairman and the Rapporteur, and decided to postpone to the September session the election of the remaining officers.

The Ad Hoc Committee will be therefore required to elect two Vice-Chairmen: one from the Group of Asian States and one from the Group of Eastern European States.

2. Adoption of the agenda

In its resolution 43/27 of 18 November 1988, the General Assembly decided to conduct a final review and appraisal of the implementation of the United Nations Programme of Action for African Economic Recovery and Development 1986-1990 at its forty-sixth session.

The present provisional agenda reflects decisions taken by the General Assembly at its forty-fifth session, the Economic and Social Council at its second regular session of 1990 and the Ad Hoc Committee at its organizational session.

3. Organization of work

In its resolution 45/178 A, the General Assembly decided that the Ad Hoc Committee should meet for 10 working days in September 1991 before the forty-sixth session of the Assembly and that, in carrying out its mandate, it should submit its findings to the Assembly and propose concrete measures and recommendations for sustained and sustainable growth and development in Africa beyond 1991.

In that connection, at its organizational session, the Ad Hoc Committee decided to establish the following two working groups:

(a) A working group on the assessment of the implementation of the Programme of Action;

(b) A working group on action-oriented measures and recommendations for sustained and sustainable growth and development in Africa beyond 1991.

Also at its organizational session, the Ad Hoc Committee decided:

(a) That the general discussion in the Ad Hoc Committee should not exceed two working days and that Governments should bear that in mind in preparing for the final review and appraisal;

(b) That the final outcome of the review and appraisal should preferably consist of a single document.

4. Final review and appraisal of the implementation of the United Nations Programme of Action for African Economic Recovery and Development 1986-1990

Pursuant to paragraph 8 of General Assembly resolution 45/178 A, the Ad Hoc Committee will have before it the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the United Nations Programme of Action for African

Economic Recovery and Development 1986-1990. It will also have before it, pursuant to Economic and Social Council resolution 1990/75 of 27 July 1990, a special memorandum on the review and appraisal of the implementation of the Programme of Action, prepared jointly by the Economic Commission for Africa and the Organization of African Unity.

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the United Nations Programme of Action for African Economic Recovery and Development 1986-1990 (A/AC.238/3)

Special memorandum prepared jointly by the Economic Commission for Africa and the Organization of African Unity on the review and appraisal of the implementation of the United Nations Programme of Action for African Economic Recovery and Development 1986-1990 (A/AC.238/4)

5. Adoption of the report of the Ad Hoc Committee

The report of the Ad Hoc Committee will be submitted to the General Assembly at it forty-sixth session, in accordance with Assembly resolution 45/178 A.